

## SAFEMLS ~ Coming to NorthstarMLS



NorthstarMLS will implement the SAFEMLS security initiative in early 2009. This will require all NorthstarMLS subscribers to log on with their user ID, a four-digit PIN number (that the agent creates) and a one-time use password generated by a token (provided by NorthstarMLS free of charge to all subscribers active in early 2009 with MLS dues paid in full).

Please note that SAFEMLS also affects all licensed and unlicensed assistants accessing NorthstarMLS. Each will be required to have a token, which can be set up with permissions to access the information for the agents they support (such as adding and editing their listings).

We have provided links to the following resources:

- **Talking points to explain SafeMLS**  
<http://www.northstarmls.com/references/SAFEMLSTalkingPoints.pdf>
- **SafeMLS Announcement and FAQs**  
<http://www.northstarmls.com/references/SAFEMLS02a.pdf>
- **Original MLS announcement about the need for increased security**  
<http://www.northstarmls.com/references/SAFEMLS01.pdf>

More communications will be distributed over the next couple months leading up to the release. In the meantime, if you have any questions, please call us at 651-251-5456 or email [mlshelp@northstarmls.com](mailto:mlshelp@northstarmls.com).